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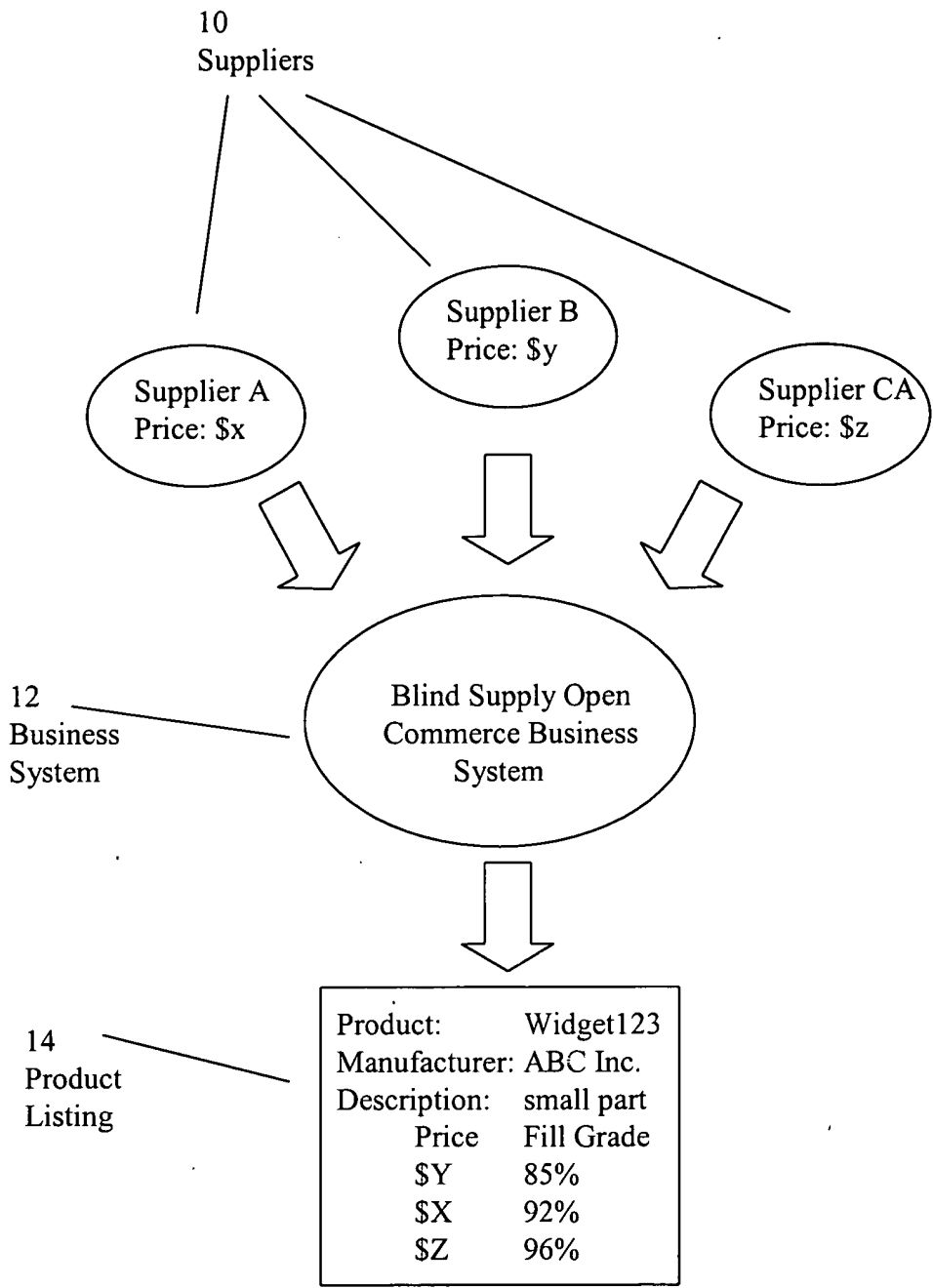


Figure 1

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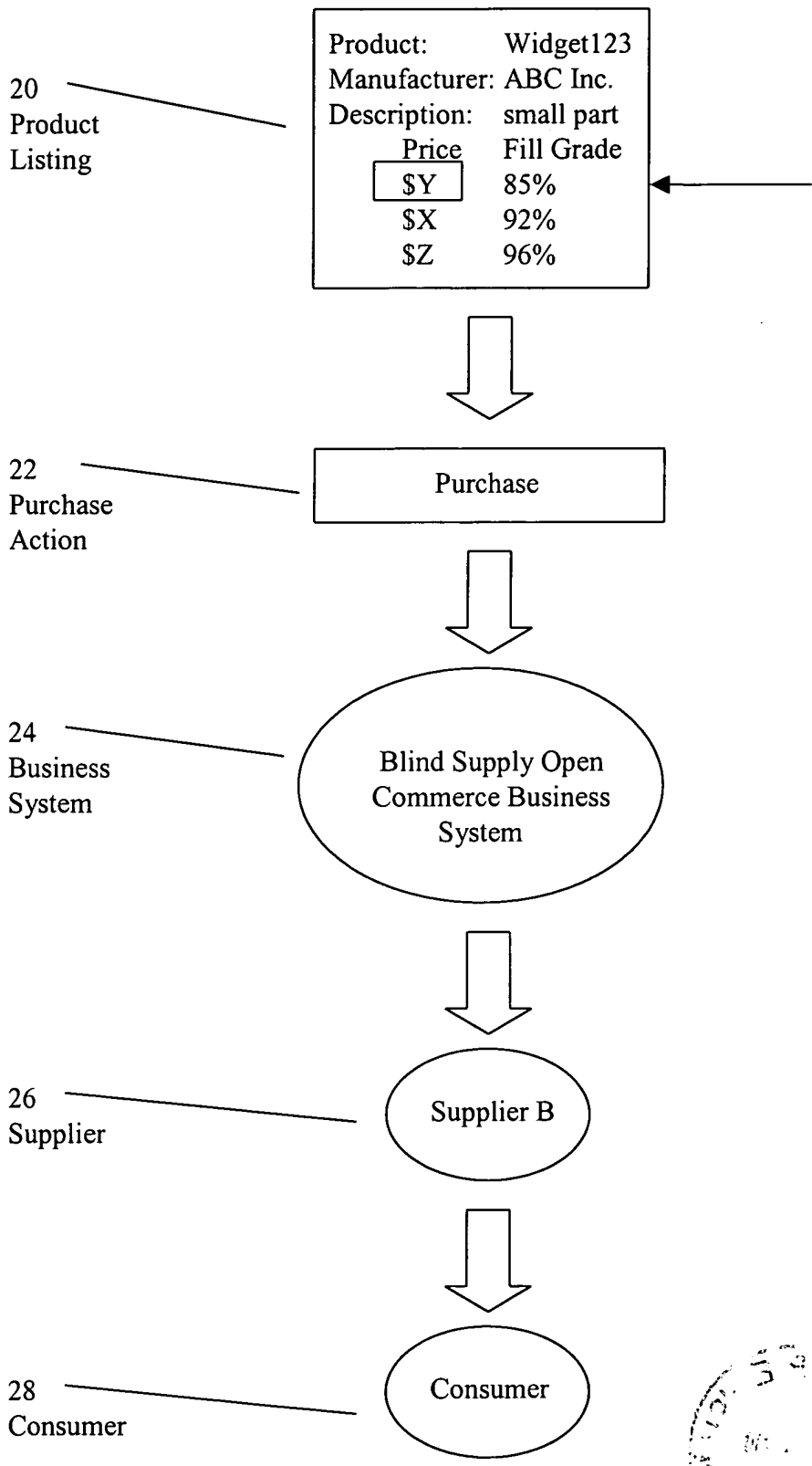


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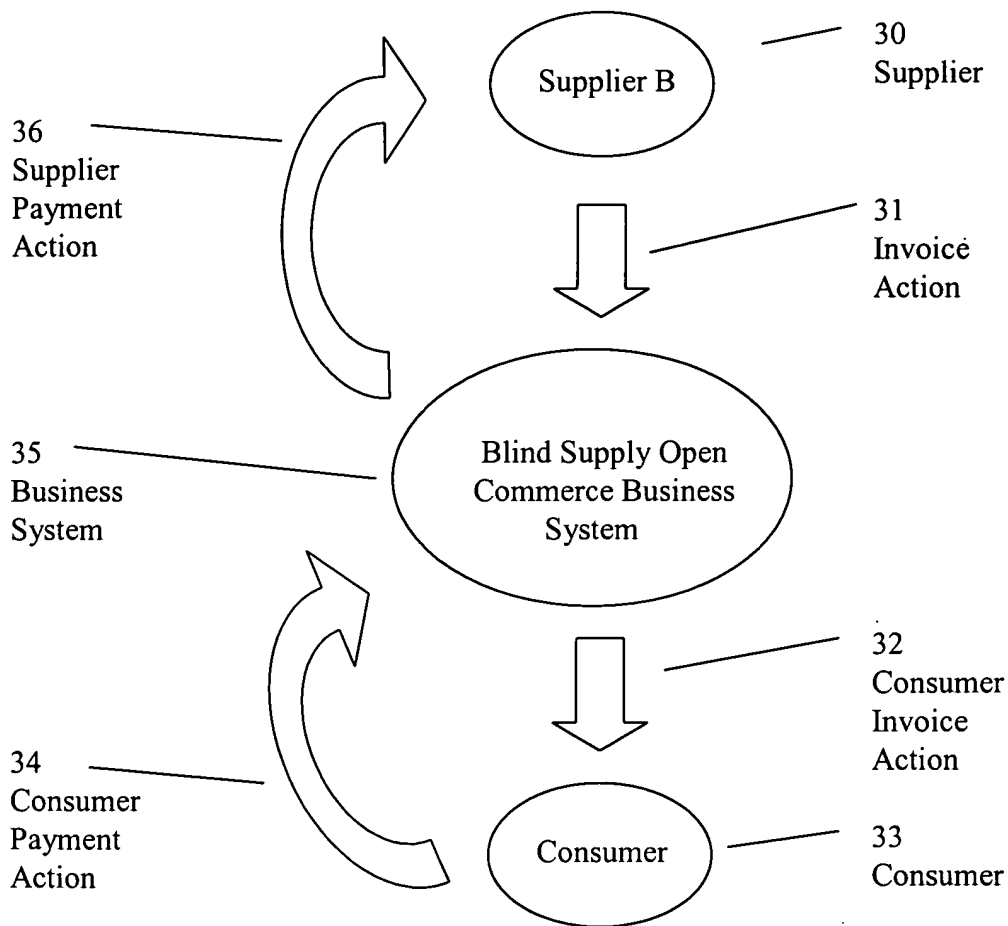


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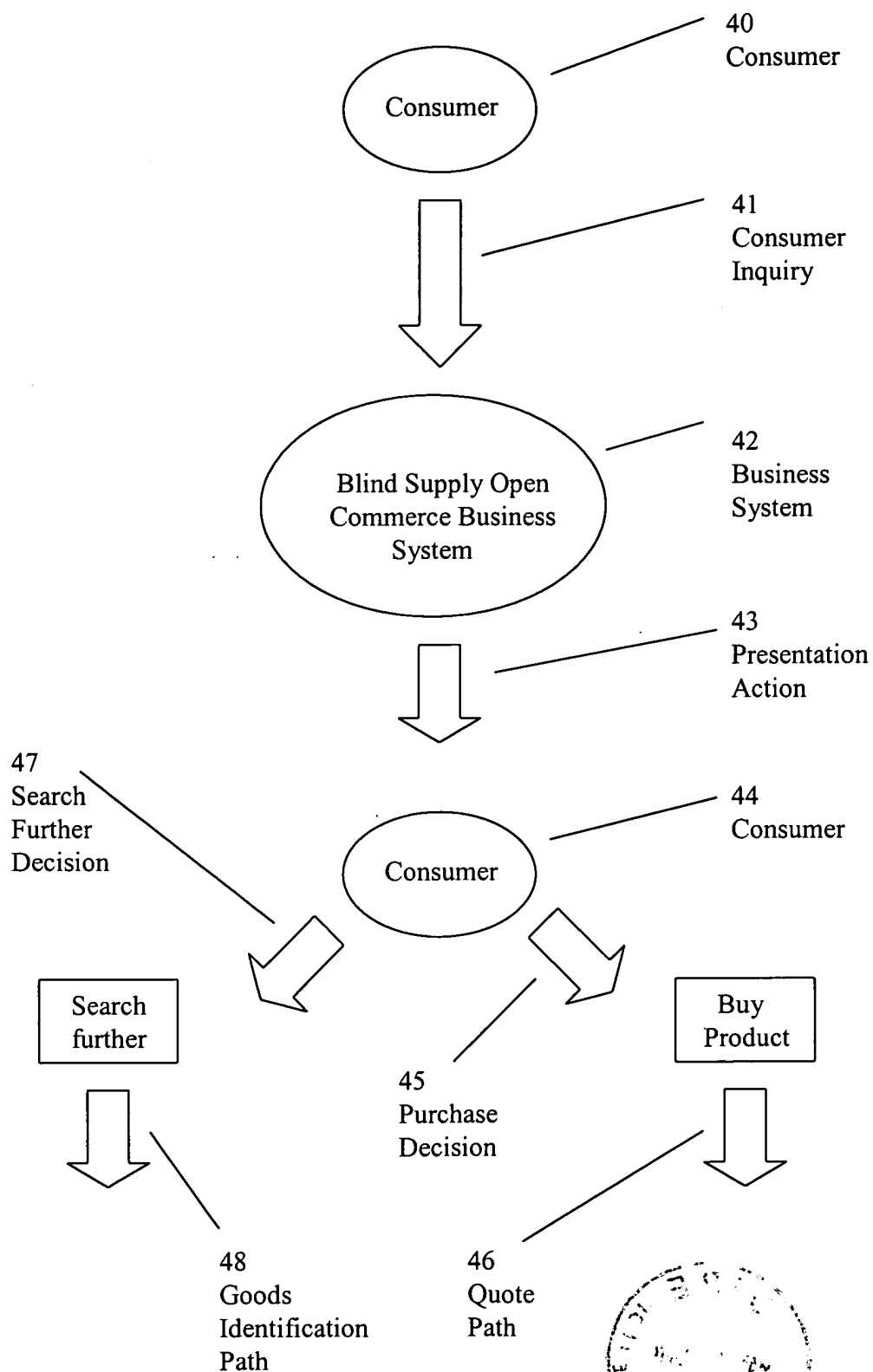


Figure 4

The diagram illustrates a process flow for a Blind Supply Open Commerce Business System. At the top, three ovals represent suppliers: "Supplier A Price: \$x", "Supplier B Price: \$y", and "Supplier C Price: \$z". A line labeled "50 Suppliers" points to these three ovals. Arrows from each supplier oval point down to a horizontal line. From this line, an arrow labeled "52 Upload Action" points to a large oval labeled "Blind Supply Open Commerce Business System". This oval is also labeled "53 Business System". An arrow labeled "54 Quote Action" points from the bottom of the large oval to a final oval labeled "Consumer", which is also labeled "55 Consumer".

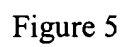


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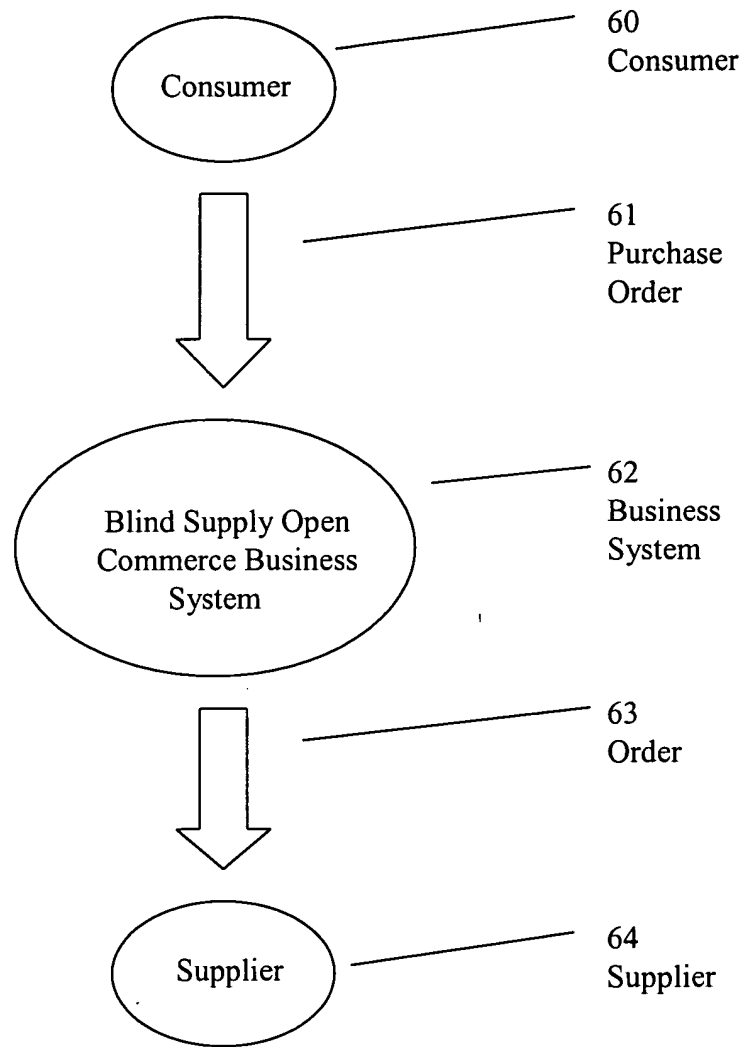


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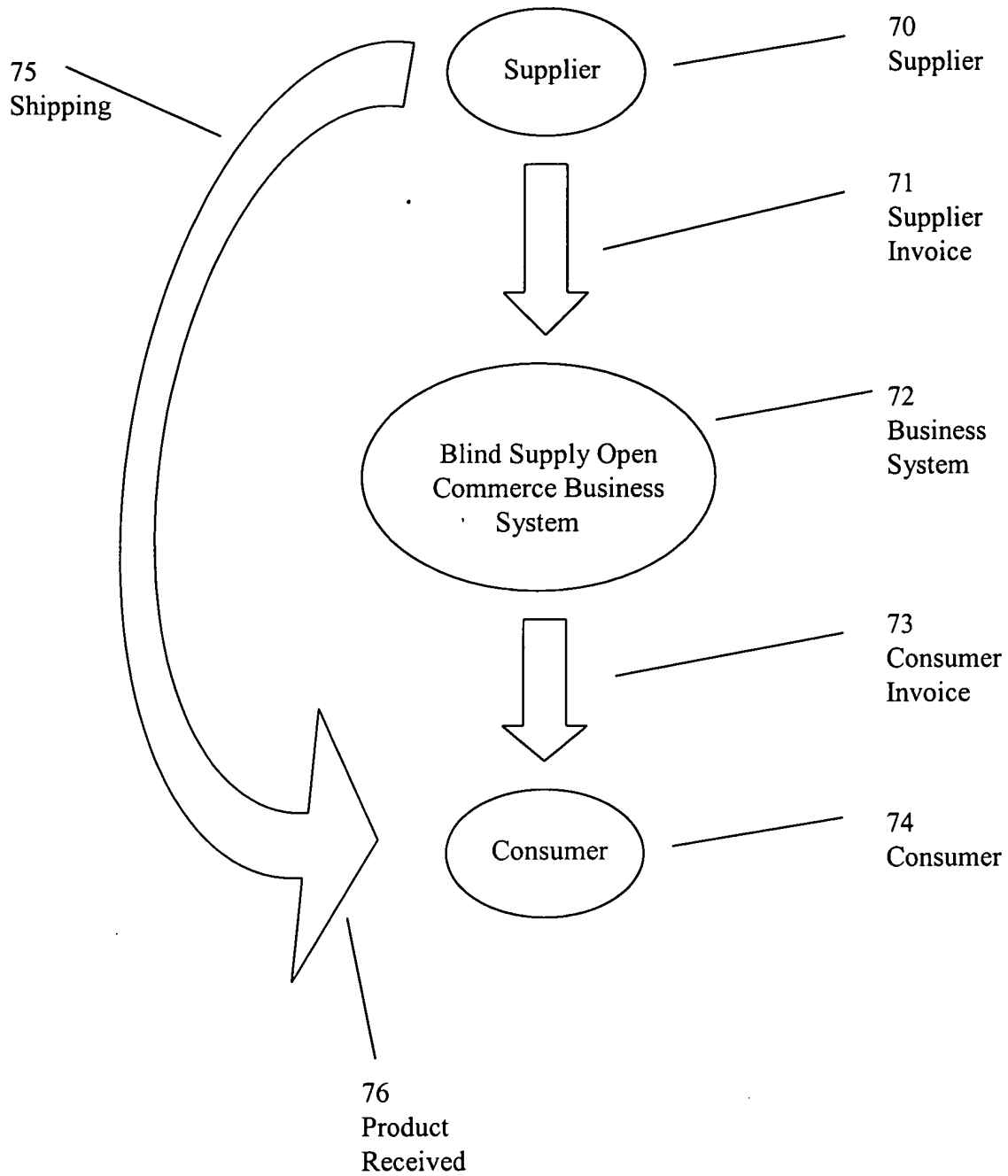


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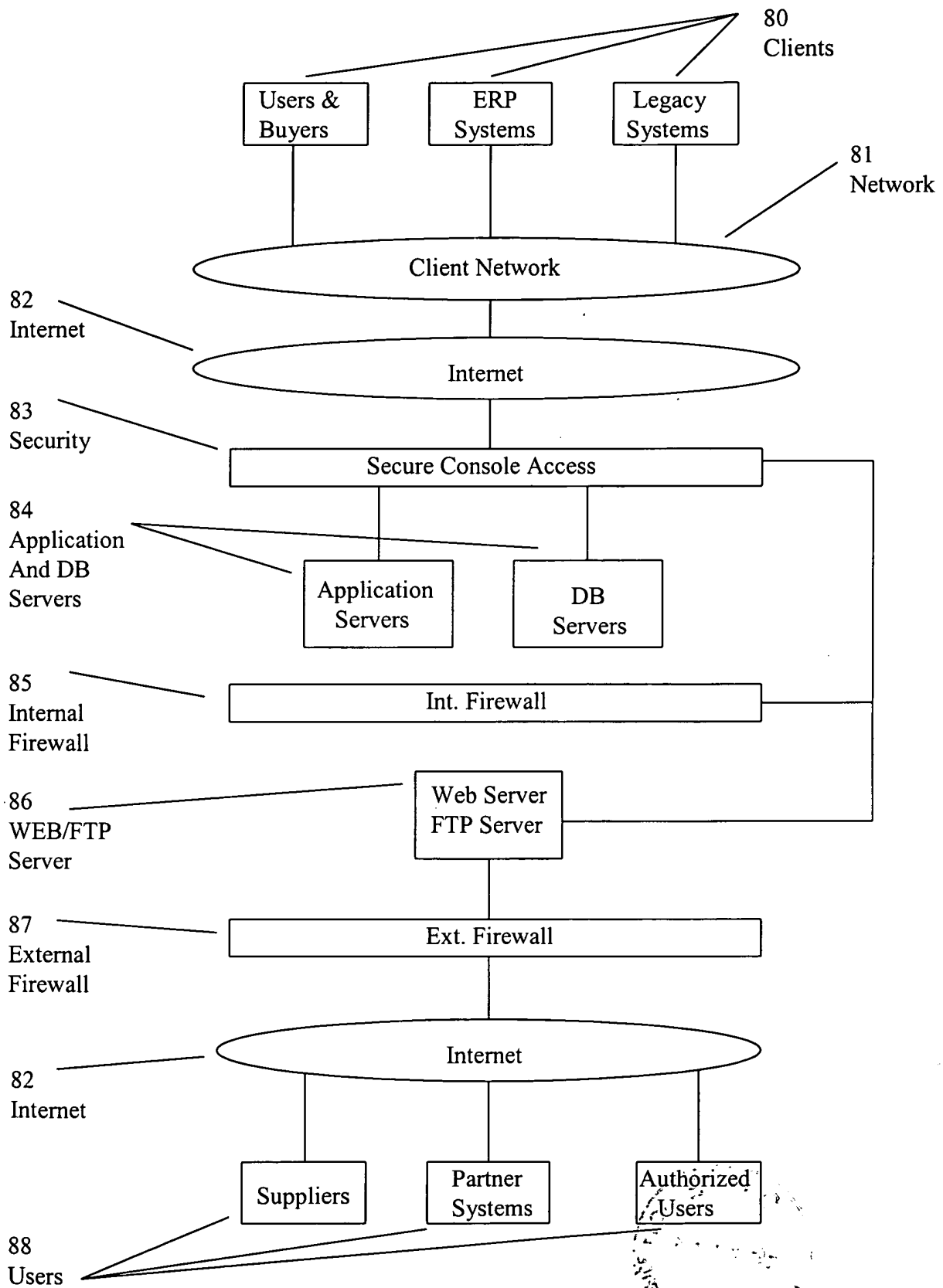


Figure 8

# Buyer transaction – Search for Product

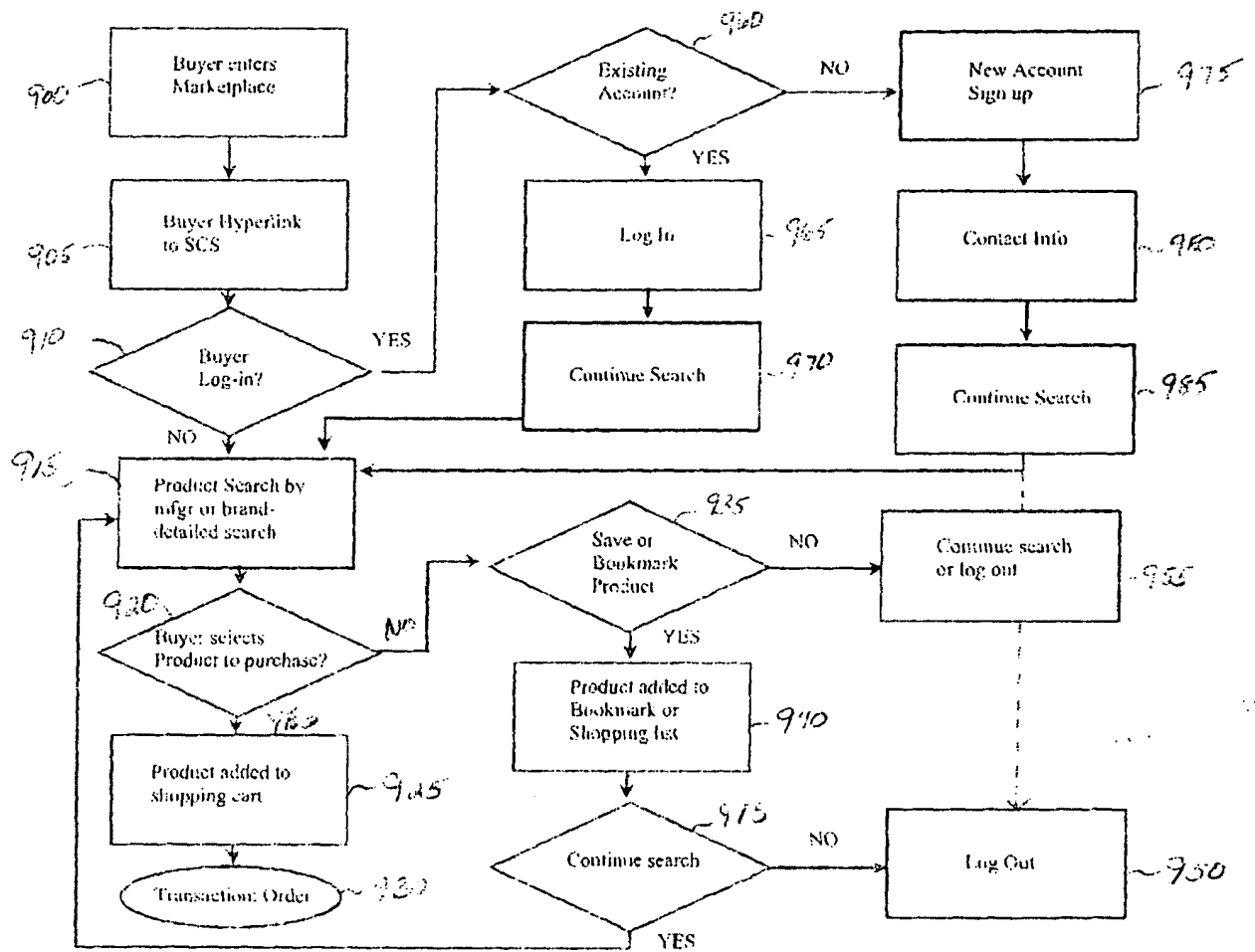


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# Buyer Transaction - Order Product

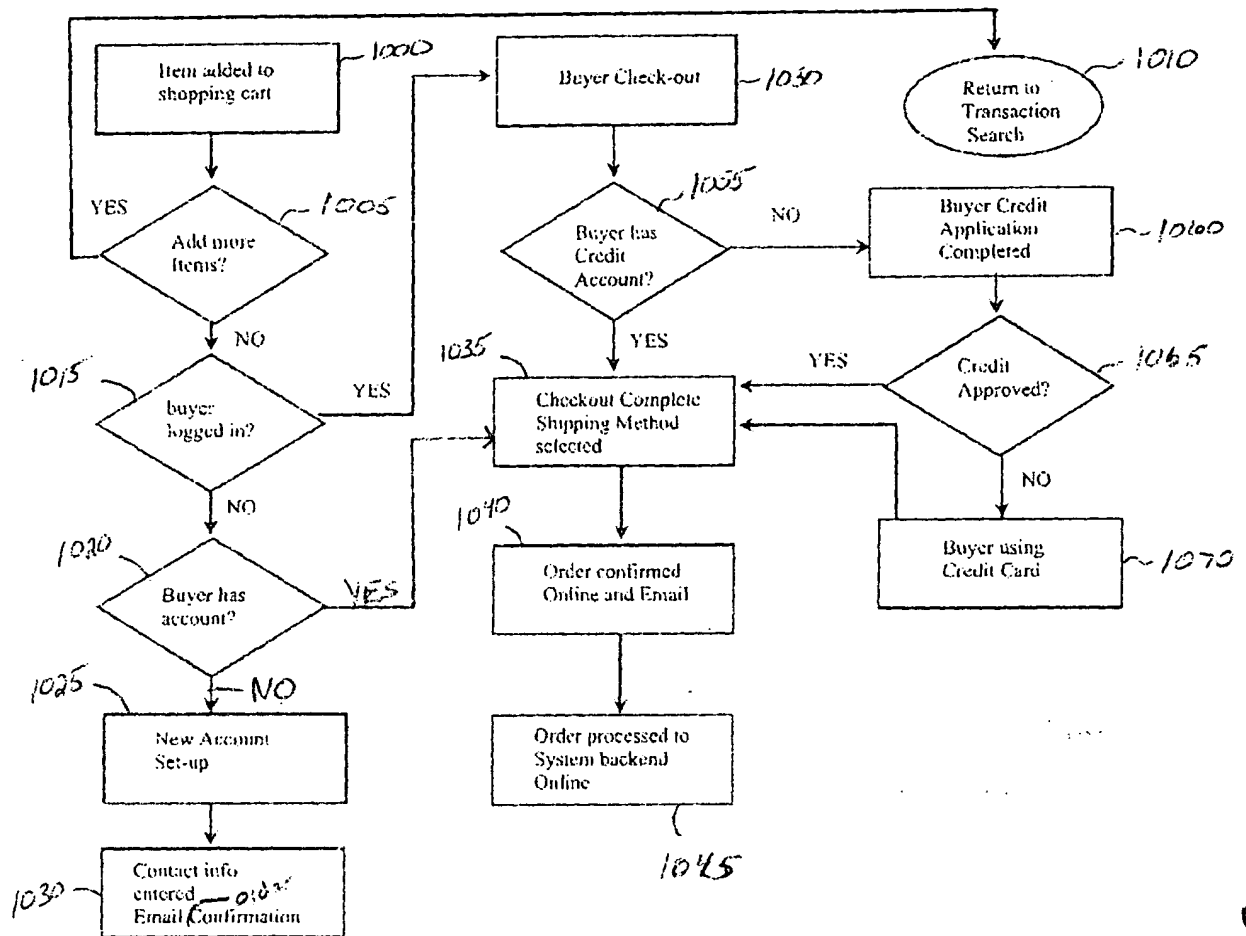


Figure 10



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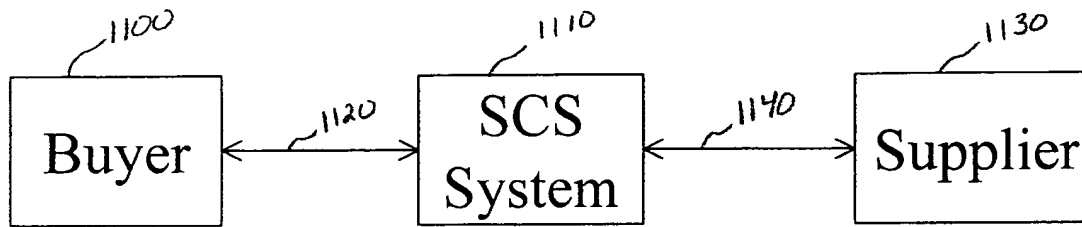


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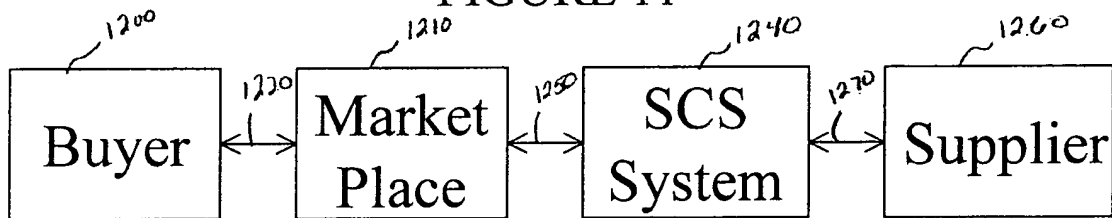


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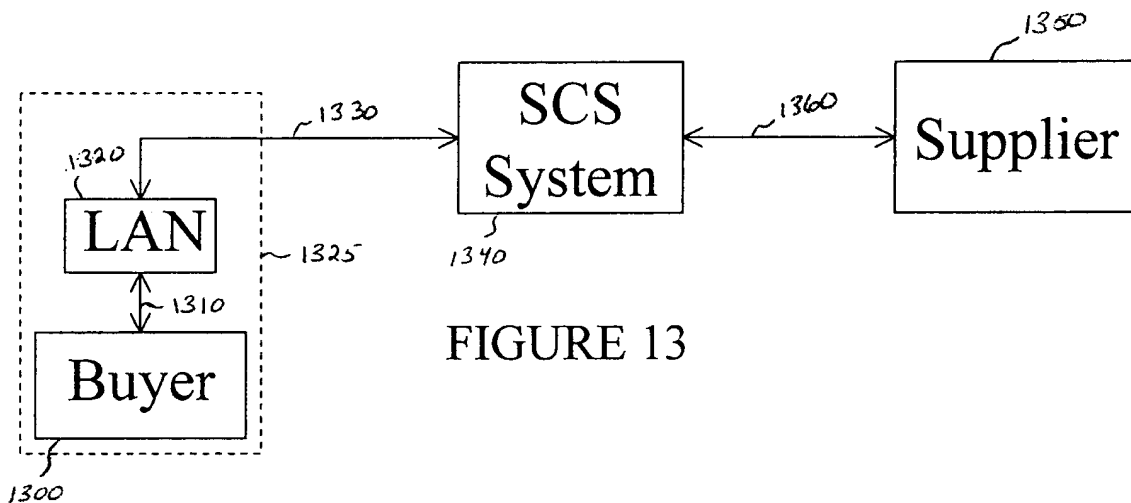


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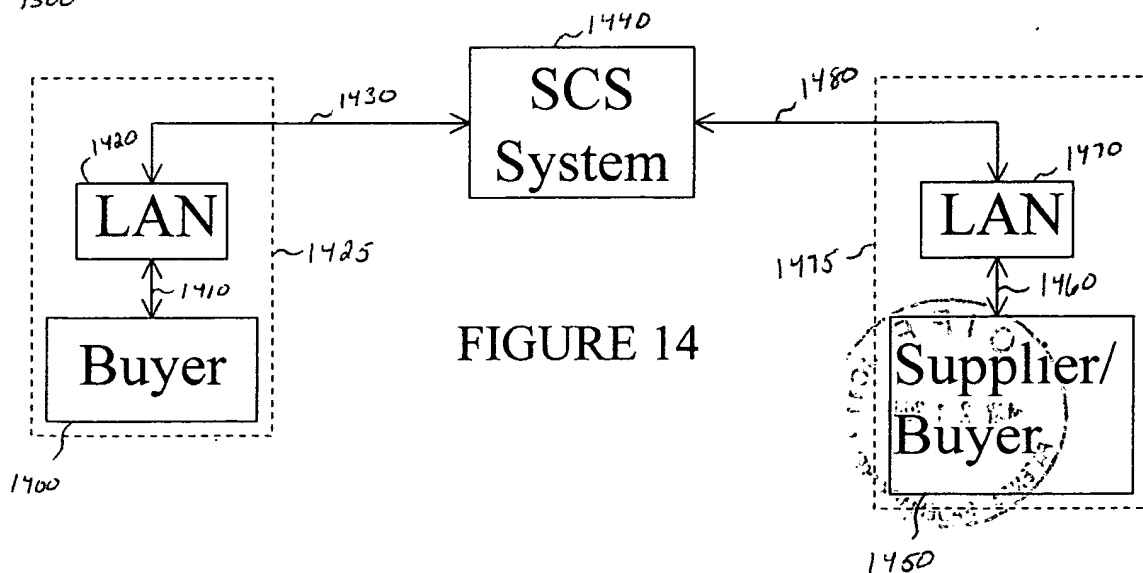


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